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J. H. ROBERTS, Editor and Proprietor.

WHAT about Reed's ruling now?

CLEVELAND seems to be just about filled up for all time.

Does the *Herald* deny that there are parties in Hartford who hold Government license? If not, let it stop its tirade about names.

Why are not brick walks cheaper in the long run than plank ones? At any rate, Hartford is able to afford them. Why not have them then?

Nor long ago we had the pleasure of visiting our neighboring little city of Leitchfield, which we found to be a model county seat. The business men are wide-awake and energetic, the citizens polite and obliging.

The Executive Departments and other branches at Washington employ 2,393 colored employees, whose total annual wages amount to \$1,370,623.98, and yet the Republican party is accused of being untrue to the Negro.

The balance of trade in our favor in 1891 was \$142,193,636. If an old farmer sells more than he buys it would take a great deal of argument to convince him that he is not just that much better off, and we fail to see the difference in the application of the rule between an individual and a nation.

The Adelphians honored themselves Tuesday morning, in honoring Mrs. D. E. Thomas. The present, an elegant piano lamp, was a worthy tribute most worthily bestowed, on one whose many virtues and earnest labors have endeared her not only to the Adelphians but to all Hartford people.

The *Herald* says we deserve the reproach of every honest merchant in Ohio county because we have insisted that there were Blind Tigers being run in this, a prohibition county. No, no, brother *Herald*, you have this wrong, the honest merchant is not in the Blind Tiger business, and, therefore, don't feel that his business affairs have been hurt in the least by our insinuations, and as he has no Blind Tiger he don't feel guilty, so has no remorse of conscience, or ill will toward those who want, and are determined to have this business stopped.

We are free to say to the good citizens of Hartford and surrounding community that we do know who in our midst paid the U. S. for license, which expires the 30th day of June next, which is pretty good evidence that something is wrong. Notwithstanding this, however, we don't feel inclined to publish their names just yet. All we want and all that the moral, sober citizens of this community ask for, for these parties to stop. We are willing to forgive if they are truly penitent and will do what is right, but if they take the sulks and want to jump on every good citizen simply because he wants to uphold the prohibition law, morals and sobriety in this community, they may expect more than mere insinuations.

## DAVID G. COLSON FOR CONGRESS.

The race for the Republican nomination for Representative in the Eleventh District promises to be a lively one. The Democratic gerrymander gives the Republicans only one Congressman from Kentucky, although we have more than 150,000 votes. In order to accomplish this, a district was constructed, the boundary lines of which are very remarkable, including most of the large Republican counties, giving it a Republican majority anywhere from ten to twenty thousand. The District is at present represented by Hon. J. H. Wilson, who is serving his second term in Congress, and it is presumed will be a candidate for renomination. He will be opposed by that gallant young Republican leader of the mountains, David G. Colson, of Middlesboro. Mr. Colson has been an active politician for a number of years, he is a very fluent speaker, and in the State Central Committee he has done good work for the party. When his services have been demanded he has always been on hand. A few years ago when Mr. Colson made the race for State Treasurer, Ohio county gave him a majority, and if she were situated in the eleventh, would undoubtedly give him her 22 delegate votes for the nomination for Congress. We trust and believe that at the Congressional Convention Mr. Colson will carry off the plum.

## ROUGH SAILING.

The *Herald* finds it rather rough sailing to act the "cat's paw" for the Blind Tigers, and so comes this week with its usual buncombe and with an unparalleled show of sickening brazen-facedness attempts to swap sides with us without our consent. No, no, Mr. *Herald*, we won't swap. We feel at home among law-abiding citizens at all times, and especially so when we feel, as we ever do, that we are fighting for the welfare of the people, and doubtless you, too, are among congenial spirits when championing the cause of the Blind Tigers, and we do not wish to disturb the peaceful seren-

ity (?) of your present position; we would not separate you from your early love, for where a man's treasure is there will his heart be also, and then you know their friendship "will serve to soothe thy weary hours." So stick to your clients, Mr. *Herald*, go on in the course in which you have embarked—silence as long as possible, and then prevarication, duplicity and double-dealing, or else make a bold, open acknowledgement, and then get on the right side. Don't sneak around like a beaten cur. Come up and act a man once in your editorial life, and see what a different feeling it will bring over you to that you are wont to have. You first chose silence as your safest make-shift, but when that mask was torn from your deceitful visage and you were called upon to declare where you stood, you came with kisses and pretty phrases, the more effectually, as you thought, to deceive the unwary and to cover your disgraceful duplicity, your unexpected thrusts at the cause of public morals and to make the Blind Tiger argument, for you have made no other, the more plausible and seductive. But the miserable disguise and shameful cowardice were seen of all men and in attempting to make an excuse for your treacherous course you stultified yourself by pleading that you knew nothing of these evils and that if you did you would have the offenders punished. Bah! What, now, has gone with the reputation of Ananias! To say that you do not know that whisky is sold in Hartford simply because you do not actually see it sold, is no more reasonable than to say that a cause is not necessary to an effect, or that you don't know whether you had any ancestors, because you didn't happen to be present when they were born.

You have proven yourself just such a friend to morals, law, order and sobriety and the law-abiding citizens of Hartford and Ohio county as Brutus was to Caesar, as Arnold was to Washington, and as Judas was to Christ. Why you betrayed the people, we do not know. It may have been not that you loved the people less, but that you loved the Tigers more. Was it for Arnold's thousands? No! You couldn't command such a price. Was it for Judas' thirty pieces of silver or for thirty anything else? Or was it just because you were "wrapped up" with the Blind Tiger and were afraid not to truckle?

## WHO "SIDE-TRACKED" YOU?

A few weeks since, when the Federal Grand Jury, at Owensboro, returned a few "cut and dried" indictments against some of the Revenue force, for alleged contribution of campaign money, the Hartford *Herald*, forgetting that it lives in a "glass-house," proceeded to make the wholesale charge, that Federal office-holders came with "bags" of money and purchased votes in Ohio county at the election of 1890. And here let us call attention to the failure upon the part of the *Herald* to practice what occasion has suggested to it to preach since then; it is too cowardly to give the names of office-holders against whom the charges are made, and "his insinuations point with equal certainty" to every man engaged in the Revenue service. This trade is accompanied with denunciations against "boodle" and "buddlers," in such a way as to lead one, not acquainted with the facts, to believe that these are purely products of the Republican party, and that it is the only party which uses boodle, purchases votes or corrupts elections.

When the *Herald* editor is answered by a correspondent to this paper from Owensboro and told of the "dirty" transactions of his party in the Ohio county campaign in 1890, instead of answering that article, if he had any answer to make, he attacks this paper in a mean and contemptible manner, in order to raise a dust in which to cover his inability to answer the charges made by our Owensboro correspondent. The attack seems to be aimed at everybody in general and no one in particular. It reminds us of nothing so much as the wild attempt of a blind snake to bite, during "dog days."

If the editor of the *Herald* is, as he asserts, free from "disgusting thrusts" and desirous of "honorable discussions," will he explain what he means by the following:

"In the days when the Republican party of Ohio county were sold by that sheet in the hands of their enemy, when expressions of disgust went up from every honest man who witnessed the barter, the *Herald* maintained toward that concern 'the charity of silence.' That this paper ever sold the party in Ohio county, or anywhere else, is false in every particular, and is too contemptible to deserve notice, coming from the source which it does, and would not now be noticed were it not for the fact that insinuations of this kind have been made on one or two former occasions, when that paper has been hard-pressed in debate, and wanted to side-track the question under discussion. The insinuation is as utterly destitute of foundation as the maker is of manhood. It is a cowardly thrust eminently fitting one who poses as a 'high plane' fighter on a fair field. If the Republican party of Ohio county was sold into the hands of its 'enemy,' will you state who the enemy is? We know

## HARTFORD'S FAIR POETESS.



MISS LIZZIE WALKER.

of no enemy to Republicanism, but Democracy, and we cannot conceive of a sale without a consideration. Was it "boodlers?" Have you not tried to create the impression that Republicans used the boodle, and that Democrats were without guile? And, now, do you wish the people to understand that your party has not only been buying votes singly, and in "blocks of five," but that it purchased the entire Republican party in Ohio county? This paper has never yet failed to support its party nominees, and will continue to support them as long as they are honest, capable men, as they have always been. It has at all times been conscientious in its support of men and principles, and has been liberal enough to give other credits for the same. It has never occupied a "neutral" position, always having intelligence to have an opinion upon public questions, and a choice among candidates.

While we are loyal to the Republican party and ever ready to do it in every way possible, that is honorable, we are not so hide-bound that we can not see anything good nor recognize ability in those of opposite views. It is no credit to anyone to display a blind partisanship to such an extent that he will lead aid to no one, no matter to what he aspires, unless he is thoroughly "collared" and unmistakably labeled "Democratic Dorg."

We do not know whether or not the *Herald* ever sold itself or party, but we do know it has been a complete "give away" to it for a number of years. We do not know whether or not it "bartered" to remain silent or neutral in any contest for office. If we did, and wished to charge it, we would do it specifically, and we would not do it at a time when it would be perfectly apparent to every one that we did it because we were angry over our inability to answer charges made by a correspondent of that paper, and wished to turn public attention from it.

The editor of the *Herald* is invited to discuss the questions of the day with us, when he discovers what position his party occupies upon any of them. At present he couldn't tell to save his life.

## CENTERTOWN.

Feb. 29.—Mrs. Anne Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joe Foster, near Hartford.

Miss Della Ashby and Mr. Robert Maddox were married yesterday at Walton's Creek Church after a sermon by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Bennett, who performed the ceremony. Miss Ashby is a good and lovely girl and Mr. Maddox is a manly and intelligent young man. Their many friends wish them a long and prosperous life.

Miss Birdie Benton spent last week with friends in town.

Miss Ida Stroud went to Greenville yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Heflin.

H. C. Fox, Paradise, was the guest of his cousin, Dr. H. L. King, Friday and Saturday.

Miss Sue Tichenor, Point Pleasant, visited relatives in town last week.

County Surveyor, J. B. Wilson was in town Saturday on business.

Little Ivy Coffman, Point Pleasant, is visiting relatives in town. B.

**Interest to Republicans.** Republican Delegates, and others, who attend the Elizabethtown District Convention by way of N. N. & M. V. R. R., can purchase tickets from their station at reduced rate to Louisville Convention, with privileges of "stop over" at Cecilia, where they will be granted round trip tickets to Elizabethtown at the reduced rate of twenty-five cents.

C. M. BARNETT, Ch'm'n. 4th Dist. Rep. Com.

## NO. 25.

Some of our farmers have sown tobacco beds, and are aiming to plant a crop of the bitter weed.

Emerson Rogers has cleared a spot for his new residence. He also is preparing to plant a large orchard. Emerson is a hustling farmer.

J. D. Hocker visited our school this week. J. D., you are always welcome because you always wear a face of pleasant (though broad) smiles.

Our school endeavored to celebrate the birthday of Washington the evening of the 22d. Mr. J. L. Rogers

was selected as the one to deliver an oration on Washington. In a few well chosen words, he eulogized the name of the dead hero. Then came declamations by the students. These were rendered well, considering the short time they had to prepare them. Prof. Boyce Taylor made an elegant speech on the American Flag. Mr. S. L. Stevens did justice to his subject, "Has Providence Favored the American People." Then came Mr. C. S. Taylor, who, in his usual appreciated style, spoke on, "The Hope of the American Youth." Mr. J. M. Rogers, father of our Superintendent, then addressed the school. He gave some good advice. The school room was decorated with a most lovely flag, the picture of Washington and the beautiful motto: "In God we Trust."

J. L. Rogers goes to "Edmondsonville" at least once a week. Some say Jim is preparing for a voyage on the matrimonial sea.

## A STUDENT.

**They Endorse our Position.** Resolutions of Sub-Alliance No. 550, Feb. 27, 1892:

WHEREAS, The good people of Ohio county have by their votes said they are opposed to the sale of whisky in their midst, and

WHEREAS, Some of our citizens are continually violating said law by selling whisky privately in the town of Hartford and other places, having paid the Government license for that purpose. Therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we do most heartily endorse the action of the good people of Hartford in their efforts to drive this evil from their midst and to establish better examples of morality before the youths of Hartford and the country.

RESOLVED, That we endorse the efforts of the Hartford Republican in its firm, bold stand taken for Justice, Law and Order, and its manly fight against Blind Tigers and law-breakers, and we do hereby pledge it our undivided, moral support in all its efforts against evil in every form.

On motion of Bro. John B. Southard it was ordered that a copy of these resolutions be sent the Hartford *Herald* and Hartford Republican for publication. S. J. PAXTON, Pres. J. P. MILLER, Sec'y, pro tem.

**CENTRAL GROVE.** March 1.—School will begin at this place next Monday.

The protracted meeting that has been in progress at this place closed Monday, with 26 conversions; 19 were baptized Monday evening.

We are glad to note that Mrs. Taylor Rowe, who has been quite sick, is recovering.

Mrs. Alfred Matthews is very low and her recovery is doubtful.

Miss Elton Williams is visiting her brother in Central City.

Mrs. Lee Loney is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maggie Tichenor.

Misses Viola and Paris Pirtle were the guests of Mrs. Della Pirtle Thursday.

G. W. Snell has gone to Evansville with logs.

Hurrah for Benjamin Harrison. LEO.

## BEDA.

Born, to the wife of Rev. R. D. Lashbrook on the 19th ult., a fine girl. Dr. L. T. Cox attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Baird are ill. Mrs. S. A. Bennett has not recovered from her recent illness.

C. A. Leach, Cromwell, spent a few days here last week with relatives. Rev. R. D. Lashbrook filled his regular appointment at Shinkle Chapel Sunday.

Joseph Mitchell, Stanley, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Leach Saturday night. Stephen Bennett, Echols, spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents here. Rev. W. E. Cook spent a few days here with his family last week.

"Neat" Hoover and family have moved to Hartford.

James Ellis has moved to his new house near here, and Alva Calloway has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Ellis.

The members and friends of Shinkle Chapel are making efforts to finish re-covering the church.

A. Webb and family have moved to Mr. Webb's farm near Shinkle Chapel. LOUIS XIV.

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Real estate.....3,000.00  
Furniture and fixtures.....1,000.00  
Bonds.....1,341.67  
Debts in suit.....773.52  
Expenses paid.....32.20  
Cash in safe.....9,320.72  
Cash in other banks.....16,325.67

**LIABILITIES.**  
Capital stock.....\$30,000.00  
Deposits.....59,031.57  
Due other Banks.....286.39  
Dividends unpaid.....208.00  
Profit and loss.....3,099.03

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- 1c. each singer machine needles.
- 4c. a bottle sewing machine oil.
- 5c. for 2 papers English brass pins.
- 5c. a dozen all shades silk dress buttons.
- 10c. boys polo caps.
- 15c. a dozen black, shell and amber hair pins.
- 3c. a cake castle soap.
- 2c. and 3c. a dozen nickel safety pins.
- 8c. a box of 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes.
- 7c. for 2 dozen cedar leaf pencils.
- 8c. a dozen rubber tip pencils.
- 3c. for school slates.
- 5c. a dozen for falcon pens.
- 3c. a bottle Thomas ink.
- 28c. for oiled window shades—spring rollers.
- 3c. for 144 agate buttons.
- \$1 25 for ladies real Dongola shoes—warranted.
- 5c. a pair ladies hose, black and colors.
- 5c. a pair mens heavy cotton socks.
- 10c. a pair mens wool one half hose.
- 3c. a yard good garter web.
- 10c. a pair oxidized silver garter buckles.
- 3c. a box of 80 ass'd hair pins.
- 15c. a pair mens suspenders, silk web, nickel buckles.
- 5c. each infant knit vests.
- 4c. a dozen fancy metal dress buttons.
- 25c. for Florence hair brushes.
- 3c. a package Colgan's taffy tolu.
- 19c. a cake cuticura soap.
- 5c. a dozen fancy metal bells.
- 20c. French plate hand mirrors.
- 2c. a pack 25 envelopes.
- 25c. mens outing shirts.
- 10c. mens 4 ply pure linen collars.
- 10c. mens celluloid collars.
- 35c 14 in. rubber valises.
- 10c. a yard all wool barge veiling.
- 19c. for curtain poles with brass trimmings.
- 24c. a package of one-half dozen double plated spoons.
- 45c. mens laundered white shirts.
- 2c. a box of jet black head mourning pins.
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